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## BOOK REVIEWS



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**GYNÆCOLOGY FOR NURSES, AND GYNÆCOLOGICAL NURSING.** By Comyus Berkeley, B.A., M.B., B.C., Cantab., F.R.C.P. London, M.R.C.S. England, Obstetrical Physician to the Middlesex Hospital; Senior Physician to the City of London Lying-In Hospital. Surgeon to In-Patients, Chelsea Hospital for Women; Examiner in Midwifery and Diseases of Women to Oxford University and to the Conjoint Board of England. Price 2s. 6d. Published by The Scientific Press, Ltd., 28 and 29 Southampton Street, Strand, London, W. C.

This is one of those little books which come to us from time to time from our English cousins. Like many others from the same source, it is of little value in this country, where the subject is much more thoroughly dealt with than in Mr. Comyus Berkeley's little book.

The first half of the book gives a list of organs, genital, of the female human body, with a brief description which presupposes a terrible ignorance on the part of the student nurse, which the writer approves apparently, as he refrains from imparting other than the most obvious facts relating to them. Following is a list of the disorders peculiar to women, with notes of the causes and, in some instances, hints indicative of the treatment. As these sometimes consist of arguments for and against operative treatment, it is needless to state they do not interest the nurse student.

The second part of the book, which treats of the nursing in gynæcology, is of more interest to the nurse, only, however, as it serves to mark the contrast of technical procedure in the operating rooms of England and America.

**OBSTETRICAL NURSING FOR NURSES AND STUDENTS.** By Henry Enos Tuly, A.B., M.D. Price, \$1.50. John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Kentucky.

The second edition of this little book, which made many friends for itself in its earlier edition, is a good deal changed from the text of